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5 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
6 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

7 FRANK S. D'AGOSTINO,

8 *Plaintiff,*

9 vs.

10 LISA WALSH., *et al.*

11 *Defendants.*
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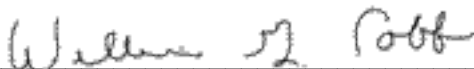
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ORDER

14 In this prisoner civil rights case, plaintiff has filed a motion (#9) styled as a motion for leave to
15 respond to the Attorney General's notice of limited acceptance for service. Plaintiff seeks to have a
16 retired correctional officer defendant not included within the notice formally served prior to the early
17 mediation conference scheduled for October 16, 2012. The early mediation program seeks to determine
18 whether an amicable resolution may be reached through the parties for whom the Attorney General has
19 entered a limited acceptance of service. In the event that a resolution is not reached through such early
20 mediation, settlement always remains an avenue that may be explored at all stages in the case, including
21 following formal service on any parties for whom service has not been accepted by the Attorney
22 General.

23 IT THEREFORE IS ORDERED that plaintiff's motion (#9) for leave to respond to the Attorney
24 General's notice is DENIED.

25 DATED: September 18, 2012.

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28 WILLIAM G. COBB
United States Magistrate Judge